

Subject: Re: WTC BID Annual Meeting
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Thanks Chad...

I'm always open to chatting but I want to be clear. We've said from the beginning that the police station is NOT a jobs driver!! There are NO NEW jobs attached to it. It's NOT what we want. Is this LAWA's idea of economic development? This can't be anything like what Austin Beutner thinks is leveraging LAX to promote new jobs in the community, can it?

The police station is a big fenced-in parking lot with an underground shooting range and all the specialized vehicles locked up tight; it's not that different from the fire station. The jobs per square foot of building space is not a desirable number. Doug Gardner said he understood this. Put the police station on LAWA property south of Lincoln, which will give them the security they want. Put the police station in El Segundo and give us some of their high tech, middle class jobs for the future rich industry that is tied to the real business of the airport.

GML says she wants to "improve relationships with the community." Then join the community by hitching our futures together. The way to do that is NOT thru more soccer team sponsorships! We deserve something real and substantive. We need middle class jobs for the future. The way to do that is to build the new LAWA HQ and announce a real partnership. Want to stop those community meetings filled with acrimony and distrust? Then join it now.

On Fri, Feb 4, 2011 at 10:10 AM, Chad Molnar <chad.molnar@lacity.org> wrote:
Don- let's talk about Northside at some point soon. Gina Marie apparently isn't crazy about building a flashy new LAWA admin building on the Northside when the Terminals still need so much work. I hear they might be more open to putting the new LAWA Police Station there. Given that LAWA PD has 2000+ personnel, it might not be such a step down from a full admin building. Let's chat.

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On Fri, Feb 4, 2011 at 10:04 AM, Arturo Pina <arturo.pina@lacity.org> wrote:
Nate will work on the request.

NK, run this through Dela.

Thanks!

On Fri, Feb 4, 2011 at 10:01 AM, Donald Duckworth
<duckworth.donald@gmail.com> wrote:

Hey guys...save the date: February 17, 2011 8:30 AM to 10:00 AM. Any chance Bill would want to make an early appearance in front of 50+ voters? (I might be able to find a spot on the program for him to say hello and reiterate his support for the North Side Landuse Plan that will bring new jobs to Westchester. Or, heck he can say anything he wants; like he won't anyway, right?)

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